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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Very few apples.
About two inches of rain the past week.

Teachers' examinations August 3d and 4th.

The probate docket for the August term is printed this week.

Grand Lawn Festival at Arcadia this (Wednesday) evening.

Hear Chas. Lane's great lecture at the Assembly Friday evening.

An electric motor is pumping water from Mulligan Hole to Arcadia Heights.

A fine rain Sunday afternoon and night. The crop prospect was never more encouraging.

A number of obituaries, unavoidably crowded out this week, will be printed in our next issue.

Lost—Last Sunday morning a Catholic prayer book. Finder will please return to this office.

A couple of experts are here from St. Louis building a greenhouse on Mr. Howes' place in Russellville.

Mr. S. P. Ringo is building a garage of granite spawls, having a car shipped here from Graniteville last week.

Do not fail to buy a ticket to Chas. Lane's lecture at the Assembly Friday night and thus help out a good cause.

Lieutenant George Gay has gone to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas. We wish him all the good luck and success in the world.

Dr. E. L. Barnhouse has sold his saw mill and timber land in the west end of the county to a man from St. Louis county.

W. T. O'Neal and son, Jesse, were here from Franklany Sunday. The latter was caught in Uncle Sam's draft last Friday.

Mrs. M. E. Craffon celebrated her 82 birthday, July 12. Many friends attended and many presents received.—Piedmont Banner.

W. D. Fletcher shipped two cars of wheat from Belleville last week. He says there is lots of wheat in the Belleville and Caledonia country.

It is rumored that Sunshine Special is to be taken off the road in order to have more locomotives to be used in the transportation of freight.

Gladys Huette and Flora Finch in "Prudence, the Pirate," and "Lonesome Luke, Lawyer," Thursday.

Judge R. L. Carty, west of Ironton, was the first man in this immediate vicinity to have his wheat threshed this year. Off of sixty acres he got just about 800 bushels of wheat.

Dr. N. M. Jones, dentist, and several other local sportsmen, have purchased a large and modernly equipped motor boat, and already have it in service in drainage ditch No. 2.—Malden Merit.

Fletcher & Barger the past week sold Ford touring cars to J. C. Woods and Walter Hale at Graniteville and a chassis to W. E. Hall, the Arcadia merchant. In all, the local agency has disposed of more than thirty Fords the past year.

Arthur T. Brewster of Ironton was in De Soto, Tuesday, and went out to Old Mines to look at some mineral land he owns there. He is thinking of developing the mines at once.—De Soto Times.

Postmaster Miller of Annapolis was in town Monday. Mr. Miller was conscripted last Friday and he claims exemption as postmaster; another reason he has a son, named President Wilson, born July 4th.

The situation in Flat River is much the same as it was a week ago. No foreigners have been driven out since the arrival of the militia. A special grand jury is in session at Farmington investigating. A long list of indictments is expected to be returned.

Col. and Mrs. R. D. Lewis motored down from St. Louis last Wednesday night; their Pierce Arrow car. Miss Roberts and her guest, Miss Elizabeth King, of Washington, D. C., came down in a roadster. They expect to spend several weeks at "Mountain View."

A card from Mrs. A. M. Madigan, Denver, Colorado, says: "Arrived here Wednesday evening. Had an enjoyable trip. Will remain here all of next week and then on to Frisco. This is a lovely, clean place, and the air is wonderful. Just cool enough to be pleasant."

A well is being drilled on the high school property in Ironton. At a depth of 83 feet the drill is going through white sand and an abundant supply of water has been secured. There is now sixty feet of water in the well. It will be put down to the depth of a hundred feet.

I was surprised yesterday by a visit from one who was an Ironton boy forty years ago—Mr. W. W. Trow, now of Trinity, Texas. His father, R. F. ("Dick") Trow, removed from here to the Lone Star State and with his family resided there until his death, which occurred a few years ago, the mother having preceded him to the Unknown Land. W. W. is postmaster at Trinity, and is now enjoying a thirty-day furlough. He is a widower with a family of five sons and daughters—several married. He will remain in the Valley several days.

By actual count 105 automobiles passed up Main street, in front of the REGISTER office, in about fifteen minutes, while visitors were driving home after the Methodist Assembly Sunday afternoon. Just about every kind of car was represented in the continuous string of automobiles.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hartshorn of near Farmington and Mrs. Ann E. Ake and son, Ed. S., recently of California, motored to Ironton Sunday. Mrs. Ake and son formerly lived here and this was their first visit to Ironton since they went to California in 1888. Both are in good health.

The Hartzell Milling Company this week received the new machinery for their Ironton mill. They expect to be making the famous "Flavo" flour in the next ten days. The machinery will be operated by electricity the company having made a three-year contract with the light people. This insures our day current.

Superintendent Geo. W. Hanson, W. D. Kendall and A. M. Allen, of Ironton, and Randolph Adams, of the west end of the county, were in Poplar Bluff last Thursday to take the examination for admission to the officers' training camp to start at Fort Riley about August 30th. They will get returns from the examination early in August.

From the Poplar Bluff Republican: "Sam Fitz, employed by the Western Tie and Timber Company, with headquarters in this city, and who left here some weeks ago to enter the radio service of the navy, is surely remembered by his old employers. Before he departed they gave him a bonus of \$300 and promised him that his old position was open to him after he comes back from doing 'his bit.'"

News was received here last Wednesday of the death of Eugene Winkler, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Winkler, of Poplar Bluff, in a hospital in St. Louis the day before. The young man had been in poor health for some time, we are told. The remains were taken to Poplar Bluff for interment. To the bereaved family the REGISTER extends its assurance of sympathy.

Miss Mary A. Stewart, the State Hostess, from the office of the Red Cross Director for Missouri, will lecture on Red Cross matters at the Episcopal Church this (Wednesday) afternoon at 3 o'clock, at which time the formation of an Auxiliary will be taken up. All interested in the welfare of our soldiers and sailors abroad, especially Red Cross members, should hear this lecture and thus obtain first-hand information as to the needs to be supplied.

Five automobiles loaded with Malden citizens departed Tuesday morning for Arcadia, Mo., to attend the Eighth Methodist Assembly to be in session from July 13 to 20th, inclusive. A most interesting and instructive program is to be rendered. Cars leaving Malden were driven by W. H. Harman, J. R. Wilson, W. R. Anderson, Jesse Mills and W. E. Smith. It is but natural to expect the trip and the time spent at Arcadia was a most pleasant and enjoyable one.—Malden Merit.

Geo. R. Johnson, of St. Louis, corresponding secretary of the Missouri Baptist Assembly, was in Ironton several days the past week arranging for the twelfth annual session of the Assembly which will be held on Arcadia Heights, August 7th to 19th. He reports the outlook most encouraging for a record-breaking attendance on the Assembly this year. Reservations have already been made for more than fifty tents. Mr. Johnson will return Thursday to remain until the Assembly closes.

Thornton Hensley and brother, Congressman Walter L. Hensley, of this district have leased the Jerseydale dairy farm to George Meyer of Pevely route 1 and Thornton is to go Oklahoma where they have an interest in some mining land for which they are said to have had an offer of five times the amount of their investment. Thornton and Meyer were here Friday with Milton Moss and his son, Charles, on business concerning the lease of the dairy farm.—Hillsboro Democrat.

Recorder Hawkins issued the following marriage licenses the past past week:

Lester Bergner of Huzzah and Bessie Worley of Goodwater.

Edgar F. Dival of Granite City, Ill., and Florence C. Koons of St. Louis.

Arthur Henson and Ida E. Reeves of Colorado.

B. E. King of Brunot and Pearl Bennett of Leadwood.

Wm. McPherson Jones of Graniteville and Myrtle May Orrick of Middlebrook.

Arthur Ferdinand of Shepard and Lucy Akers of Redmondville.

The Methodist General Assembly opened on their beautiful grounds at Arcadia last Sunday, for a two weeks' session. These Assembly grounds are justly celebrated for the natural beauty of their surroundings, and this annual gathering has been growing more popular every year, until now thousands are drawn there annually. There are also several splendid chautauques numbers rendered each day, and the quality of these have been constantly improving, until now it is a positive treat to go there and spend a day or a week, (or better still, remain during the entire program.—Farmington Times.

Twenty-seven of the Flat River rioters are in the Iron county jail awaiting the action of the special grand jury in St. Francois county which assembled at Farmington Monday. Sheriff Adams of St. Francois county last Wednesday telephoned Sheriff

Blue that the Farmington jail was filled to overflowing and asked if Iron county could provide quarters for some of the alleged rioters under arrest. Sheriff Blue replied that he could accommodate about thirty men. Fifteen prisoners were brought over Thursday and twelve the following day. Among them are two former residents of Iron county, Mont Edmonds who lived in Graniteville, and George Bone, who once lived at Pilot Knob. They will all probably be detained here until the grand jury has taken action. A number of prisoners have also been taken to Jefferson county and St. Louis.

Edith Storey in "The Two-Edged Sword," and Frank Daniels in "Ducking the Alimony," Saturday.

PERSONAL.

Arthur Huff was in St. Louis Tuesday.

W. R. Edgar is in St. Louis this week.

Lester Nall was here from St. Louis this week.

Mrs. Dr. N. A. Farr of Des Arc was a caller last Saturday.

R. E. Gunton paid a trip to Jefferson City the first of the week.

Wm. Trauernicht and A. Roehry went to St. Louis Monday.

Miss Esther Allen of Bonne Terre was a valley visitor Sunday.

Miss Paradine Hills of St. Louis is visiting relatives in Ironton.

J. C. Blanton, the tobacco salesman, was here from Bismarck this week.

Mrs. A. F. Bond of Poplar Bluff is the guest of Mrs. H. O. Davis in Ironton.

Fred J. Niehaus of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat was a caller one day last week.

Frank Nall was here from St. Louis Saturday and Sunday with his parents at Valley Inn.

Fred Kindell, Jr., and family leave tomorrow (Thursday) on a motor trip to Eldon, Iowa.

Mrs. R. A. Knapp expects to spend the remainder of the summer with friends in Wisconsin.

Miss Allie Patton, the efficient assistant in the post-office, was indisposed several days the past week.

Mrs. Giovannoni went to Poplar Bluff last Wednesday to attend the funeral of her nephew, Eugene Winkler.

S. G. McColl, a former Iron county boy, now a prosperous merchant at Piedmont, was an Ironton visitor Saturday.

Miss Lena Kuhn arrived from Maplewood Tuesday to spend a month with her mother, Mrs. C. Kuhn, on Marble Creek.

Miss Velma Sutherland returned to St. Louis last Saturday, where she resumes her studies and work at Barnes Hospital, a department of Washington University for trained nurses.

W. W. Strother and family motored from Fredericktown Sunday morning. Mr. Strother went to St. Louis on an afternoon train. Mrs. Strother and daughter motored back to Fredericktown in the evening.

Strayed—From my place, about July 1st, one large Nanny-goat, last seen on Shepherd Mountain. Also, about July 8th, one large Billy-goat, with horns about 3 feet wide. Will pay reward for return to W. D. FLETCHER.

Methodist Assembly.

In point of attendance and interest, the Assembly is more than meeting the expectations of the management. It was thought that the uncertainty into which war has plunged the country would cut the attendance below that of last year; but up to date the indications are that the registration will be a record one.

The programme has been full of interest from the beginning. The clearness and forcefulness with which Dr. John McCarthy delivered his Bible lectures was the very highest commendation. The sermon of Dr. Morgan was new laurels for him, while it has been said many times over that Mrs. Burger's address Sunday morning was the best of all her many assembly addresses. Dr. Plato T. Durham, Dean of the Theological School of Emory University, won the hearts of his hearers at the start, and his sermons and Bible lectures are considered among the best ever delivered on the grounds. While Dr. Jno. A. Rice's Sunday School address and his address on Christian Education were of such practical worth as to sustain the good opinion he won from the people three years ago. Dr. McMurray was present for a short time, but got sick and had to return home.

It was announced that the S. S. attendance last Sunday was almost double that of the second Sunday a year ago.

The programme for the remainder of the week is rich. The Woman's Missionary Society's part, in charge of Mrs. C. M. Hawkins, the conference president, occupying a large place. Dr. John M. Moore, Secretary of the General Board of Missions, will arrive to-day and preach to-night. He will also deliver several missionary addresses. Prof. Chas. Lane will deliver his inimitable lecture of "Philosophy and Fun," Friday night, and Dr. Waldrup, who thrilled his auditors last year will preach Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. Mrs. Hawkins will deliver an address at 2:30 P. M. Sunday, at which time Marvin College will furnish a short musical programme. Tonight the Community Choral Club will furnish the singing.

NOTICE.

July and August is the time to kill weeds. If you pull all the leaves off the Jimson weeds they will die. Griffls, at Ironton, wants the leaves dried; also Burdock roots, Dandelion roots, Golden Seal, Blood Root, Blue Flag, May Apple and other kinds. Bays Hides, Wool, Beeswax, Feathers Iron Rubber, Rags, Sacks, Brass, Copper, Lead, Zinc, Rabbitt, Old Rope, for which I pay cash. J. T. GURRIN, Near depot, Ironton, Mo.

Job Work, all kinds, at this office.

The Lutheran Church.

Divine services will be held next Sunday, July 29th, at Pilot Knob in the afternoon and at Ironton in the evening as follows:

At Pilot Knob, Sunday School at 2:00 P. M. Sermon (English) at 2:30 P. M.

At Ironton, Sermon (English) at 7:30 P. M. Services are held in the Presbyterian Church.

All interested in our services are invited to attend.

H. C. HARTING, Pastor.

Charles Ray, Frank Keenan and Louise Glaus in "Home," and Keystone Comedy next Tuesday.

Baptists have Delegation at Arcadia Meeting.

(Popular Bluff Citizen-Democrat.)

Popular Bluff Baptists are going to be well represented at the Baptist Assembly at the Valley of Arcadia this year. The meeting which opens on August 7th continues until and including August 19 is expected to attract visitors there from all over the state and to bear unusual charm for Southeast Missouri folk.

The Rev. Paul Weber, pastor of the First Baptist church, and the Rev. William S. Smelser, pastor of the Second Baptist Church, and a great many laymen will be in attendance.

The program is out and it shows a wonderful fine line-up for the season. One of the very pleasing disclosures is the fact that the Rev. Dr. J. P. Green, president of William Jewell College, the Baptist theological school in Missouri, and formerly pastor of the third Baptist Church in St. Louis, will be the assembly pastor. He is well known in this city, having visited here many times.

Eight years ago the enrollment at the Arcadia Assembly was 260, while now it runs about two thousand annually.

Des Arc Items.

I stopped at the Arcadia Assembly Sunday and came to Bismarck in a car with my friend, Lucy, and family. We drove to Bismarck in a heavy rain; passed nine disabled cars; one in front of the Emerson park, in front, in a ditch. I never saw so many cars at one time, one behind the other. More than 100, I guess; could not count them; six of them from Potosi and many from the Lead Belt and Fredericktown. We heard a fine sermon by Dr. P. T. Dodge, of Atlanta, Georgia. His sermon, alone, was worth the trip to Arcadia, beside meeting many old friends.

I see Piedmont is improving. Some capitalists have bought 8,000 acres of land, lying east of Piedmont, and are working up the timber into ties and lumber. They are also running a big coaling, and have an elevated wagon from which to unload the coal into the cars. Brooks & Reese of Annapolis are putting up a hickory handle factory at Piedmont. Mr. Brooks will run the handle factory and Mr. Reese will stay with the store at Annapolis. They are both fine business men and will make a success.

I see the price of wheat is \$2. That is about right; it means about \$12 a bushel for flour.

The Missouri Southern railroad is now making connections with No. 4 at Leeper.

Dr. C. H. Jones of Brunot was in town Monday to see the little daughter of Lee Strader, who is ill with fever. Mrs. J. L. Strader from Greenville is here to help nurse her little granddaughter.

There is quite a lot of sickness here among the children.

Len Morris has gone to Poplar Bluff to consult a physician. He has a very sore hand, having blood poison, caused from a scratch, received while working in the shop here.

Ben Keathley is moving his family to Brunot, where he is putting in a handle factory.

Miss Virginia Morris has returned to her home at Farmington to visit her mother and two children. Mrs. John Stevenson and two children are visiting relatives at Poplar Bluff.

Miss Eunice Morris is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Ed Maddock, at Hoxie, Arkansas.

Mrs. T. P. Fitz has gone to Libbourn, Mo., to visit her son, W. J. Fitz, and family.

Mrs. R. N. A. Farr, Mrs. Fred Farr and Mrs. R. H. Stevenson went to Arcadia Saturday to attend the W. C. T. U. features on the program at the C. E. Assembly. Mrs. R. H. Stevenson, the County President, was on the program, and she reports the work as progressing and very interesting.

E. W. Fitz, who has been making his headquarters at Kensett, Arkansas, for the Western Tie & Timber Company will be moved to Poplar Bluff, Mo., where he will take charge of the work and accept the position his brother, C. S. Fitz, gave up when he enlisted in the navy.

C. S. Fitz will leave Brooklyn, N. Y., Monday with 700 young men for Cambridge, Massachusetts, to enter Harvard University and study wireless telegraphy.

Miss John Reed has received a letter from her two boys who are with Gen. Pershing in France, stating they arrived there June 27th, were well and feeling fine. They were not yet stationed, but said they would write a long letter soon. She has been very anxious to hear from them and we are pleased and happy to know that two of our Des Arc boys have landed and we hope that others may reach there in safety. May God protect and send our boys back to us in prayer!

Mrs. Bessie Lovelace and daughter, Opal, are visiting relatives in St. Louis. They were accompanied by Miss Leah Wallis, who will take a position there, having recently finished a course in stenography at the Farmington Business College.

Miss Jennie Huff of Piedmont has been employed to teach the Intermediate Department in our public school. She comes highly recommended and we are glad to welcome her and wish her much success in the coming year's work.

Mrs. John Howard and children are visiting Mr. Howard's parents in Piedmont.

Mrs. Gladis Poston, nee Janes, is very ill at the home of her parents on College Hill. She has been in very poor health for a year. Her husband was called here from Flat River Sunday.

Rev. A. L. Darter and family are camping at the Assembly. He came down to all his appointments here Sunday morning at noon. He reports a fine program this year.

MAAC.

Annapolis News.

We had a good rain last night and is raining this morning.

While the local freight crew was switching in the yard here this morning a brakeman was wedged between two cars and his right leg badly hurt. The Sunshine Special stopped and took him to the hospital in St. Louis.

Mrs. Dickey Kitchell has been very sick the past two or three days with something like the disease reported from Oran, Missouri, but she is much better now.

The following named from Annapolis were drafted last Friday: Robert Miller, postmaster, Ed Robinson, Gus Lotz, Marlin Keathley, Robert Faucher and Tony Buxton. All married men except one.

Add Reese of Annapolis was a visitor to Jefferson City last week endeavoring to have the road from Ironton to Glover, Annapolis, Des Arc and Piedmont declared the State Highway route.

The section men on the Iron Mountain railroad who have been on a strike for better wages the past three weeks, returned to work last week on a promise of \$2 a day.

Book Kemp, who has served with a Kansas regiment of volunteers in Mexico, Sunday received a letter to report for duty August 5th.

The old Confederate soldiers have not yet received their back-pay. Huckleberry picking is still in progress.

From Near Arcadia Heights.

Your writer wrote his last letter to the REGISTER from St. Louis. At present prices, of farm productions, we thought it best to come home and look after the farm here and at Roselle. The prospects for an excellent yield of corn is very flattering, indeed. Potatoes, cabbage, onions, beets, beans, and in fact, everything that is raised in the garden, were never better than now. This means very much, not only to the farmer, but to almost every line of business. We noticed a wagon load of corn from Belleville Valley yesterday, which was pulled into Ironton with two horses, and we understand that this load of corn brought the owner \$75.00 in cash. With corn selling at \$1.90 to \$2.00 per bushel, it pays every farmer to look after his crop of corn, and we are glad to note that this is being done.

Several from this locality have been attending the services at the Methodist Assembly, near Arcadia, and report that everything is satisfactory.

The Baptist Assembly will convene on the Arcadia Heights August 6, and continue for two weeks. No pains will be spared that will tend to make this one of the best (if not the best) meetings ever held on the Heights.

The grounds have been put in first-class condition, the tabernacle and pavilion have been very much improved in general appearance—in fact everything looks neat and inviting, and we are sure that those who attend the Assembly will feel much has been done for their comfort and pleasure during their stay on the Heights. Mr. Sutherland, with a force of men, has been doing some extra work on the road leading to the Heights, and the roads will be in much better condition than ever before.

Mrs. Teachmacher and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell and sister, all of St. Louis, are now domiciled on the Heights, and it is said that others will come in the next few days.

Mr. J. D. Vance has employed a gentleman and his wife to take charge of the Vance Hotel during the Assembly, and everything will be up-to-date and the prices very reasonable, considering the present high prices of "things."

Miss Stella Beardsley began her school on Crane Pond on the 9th. It is said she has a ten month school.

Mr. Hendley, of near Arcadia, some time ago purchased the Pearl Hill farm, east of Ironton, near the Heights. It is said he will remove his family to the farm, in the near future.

We are sorry to learn that our young friend, J. L. Logan, of Belleville, is seriously ill. We hope he will soon recover.

Ernest McClurg, of Mann, this county, was in Ironton Saturday. Ten years ago he was a pupil of the writer's at Cedar Grove.

We have just been looking over the list of names of those drawn from this county for the first call for the war draft. Of course, many of those called will fall to pass the physical test, and others will be from various reasons exempt, and consequently it may be possible that others from this county will yet be called. Now that our own dear brave boys have been called into training preparatory to being sent over the Atlantic ready to engage in actual war, the war problem means much more to us, becomes a tangible reality, and will cause a father and mother, wife and sweet heart, it's simply awful to contemplate, and yet it is all, or nearly so, caused by old Bill Kaiser's colossal greed for autocracy and domination. But we are glad to note that German autocracy is being lowered, and that Bill Kaiser is beginning to learn something of the might and force of old Fox Populi. O, the cares, the trouble, and the worry this war brings to us! But some day, as Longfellow has said,

"The cares that infect the day,
Shall fold their tents, like the Arabs,
And silently pass away."

P.

CORD WOOD WANTED.

The County Court of Iron County desires to purchase fifty cords of second growth Black Oak Billet Cord Wood, for use at the Court House and Jail. Persons having wood of that kind to sell will please submit sealed proposals, addressed to the undersigned, which will be opened by the Court on the first Monday in August, 1917.

The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids submitted.

Dated this July 2d, 1917.

ARTHUR HUFF, Clerk

County Court, Iron County, Mo.

Belleville News.

Another fine shower Sunday night. Crops are fine.

The threshers have been in our community for a week or ten days. Many bushels of oats and wheat have been threshed.

Guy Long and little son of St. Louis visited Dr. and Mrs. Daily Appleberry last week.

Miss Ida Dent of St. Louis is visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. A. Bean.

We have purchased a large and beautiful flag. It waves from a 50 foot pole in the center of our little town.

Fred Osterberg, wife and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lawson, all of

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Teachers' Examination.

The next regular examination will be held in the public school building, Ironton, Friday and Saturday, August 3d and 4th, 1917.

ORDER OF SUBJECTS—FIRST DAY.
Geography, 8 to 9:30 A. M.
Language, 9 to 10:30 A. M.
Algebra, 10 to 11:30 A. M.
Orthography, 11:40 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.
Grammar, 1:30 to 3 P. M.
Arithmetic, 3:30 to 4 P. M.
Literature, 4:30 to 5 P. M.
Reading, 4:30 to 6 P. M.
SECOND DAY.
Civil Government, 8 to 9:30 A. M.
U. S. History, 9 to 10:30 A. M.
Agriculture, 10 to 11:30 A. M.
Adv. Science, 11 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.
Physiology, 1:30 to 3 P. M.
Pedagogy, 2:30 to 4 P. M.
Adv. History, 4:30 to 6 P. M.
At the same time and place will be conducted the examination of the boys entering the contest to represent Iron county at the State Fair.

G. W. HANSON, Sup't. Schools for Iron County.

Order of Publication.

Isabel C. Nichols, plaintiff, vs. Marion Kinney, Ruth Kinney, Ora Hightower and W. M. S. Hightower, her husband, C. M. Stevenson, and Adam Boyer, Anna Boyer, David H. Cornwell, David H. Cornwell, and Joseph A. Osborn, if living; or the unknown consorts, heirs and assigns of Adam Boyer, Anna Boyer, David H. Cornwell, and Joseph A. Osborn, if they or either of them be dead, defendants.

The State of Missouri to the above named or described defendants, greeting:

You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against you in the circuit court of the County of Iron, in the State of Missouri, affecting the title to the following described lands and tenements, to-wit: The west half of the northeast quarter, and all of the northwest quarter of section thirteen (13) township thirty-one (31) north, range three (3) east, 240 acres; which said action is returnable on the first day of the next term of said court to be held at the courthouse in the City of Ironton in the County and State aforesaid, on the 22d day of October, 1917, when and where you may appear and answer or otherwise defend such action; otherwise plaintiff's petition will be taken as confessed and judgment rendered accordingly.

J. M. HAWKINS,
Clerk of the Circuit Court, Iron County, Mo.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.
Notice